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"They that can give up essential liberty to obtain a little temporary safe

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MURDER PLOT

From a source of proven reliability, WASHINGTON OBSERVER NEWSLETTER has learned that there is grave danger in the upcoming Spring months of a series of political assassinations.

A WO reporter asked if any defectors from the CIA's task force of trained political assassins were involved. The answer was blunt: "No—absolutely no." No further information on this highly sensitive matter could be elicited from the official.

WASHINGTON OBSERVER reported in its December 15 issue (No. 70) that a private effort would soon be mounted by responsible leaders to ferret out the truth of the assassination of President Kennedy and other assassinations. As disclosed in WO, this private effort includes filing, under the Freedom of Information Act, a significant lawsuit in the Federal Courts. On January 2, the public announcement was made of the establishment of the National Committee to Investigate Assassinations, headed by Frank Fensterwald, who is resigning as chief counsel of the Senate Judiciary Committee's subcommittee on administrative practice and procedure. The formation of the new foundation, therefore, comes at an opportune time. WO can only speculate what the Government's big, unwieldy security agencies are doing to prevent a reign of terror. Unfortunately, the FBI is prohibited from making investigations outside the U.S. The CIA is supposed to investigate espionage and sabotage activities originating outside the U.S.

Several former CIA officials have testified before Congressional committees that Communist agents have infiltrated "the Agency" as it is called by the cloak and dagger boys. When Fidel Castro was carrying on his revolutionary activities in Cuba, the CIA officially reported to the President's National Security Council that Castro was an "agrarian reformer" and was anti-Communist. This is only one of many times that the "Agency" has submitted false or misleading intelligence information to the President and the Security Council.

It is well known in Washington inner circles that the present CIA Director, Dick Helms, is a playboy type more interested in being the gay wit at cocktail receptions than running his worldwide net work of espionage operations. But he lost no time in ingratiating himself with President-elect Nixon.

EDITORIAL

The return of the captured crewmen of the U.S.S. Pueblo is an occasion for rejoicing for Americans.

We trust that our readers will pardon us for feeling especially good about the event, as we believe that we—and you—played an important part in the LBJ Administration's decision.

Now that the men are back, the human vultures of the "free press" have begun their typical activities, aimed at protecting the traitors in the government who are responsible, and smearing the men who were betrayed. Drew Pearson—a repulsive creature who is known far and wide as a snivelling draft dodger and a physical coward—leads the pack as usual, hinting that Commander Bucher is to be condemned for the decisions he made while under torture—while he—Pearson—was wallowing in the fat luxury he has accumulated from years of extortion, well-paid, pro-Zionist propaganda and libel.

It was WO's story of August 15, "According to Plan," which first laid out some of the essential secret facts surrounding the deliberate betrayal of the Pueblo to Communist capture. This was followed by additional stories on September 15, and November 15. When the potent Liberty Lobby decided to make the issue a major project, we felt that our efforts were bearing fruit.

Just what the payoff was to get the men back we do not know, but the facts will one day come out. What is important now is that we continue to "remember the Pueblo" and to realize that the return of the men does not in the slightest diminish the critical need for an investigation into the facts surrounding its capture.

The men who gave the orders to allow the capture of the vessel and its crew, and who refused to take decisive action to get it back, are still in important policy-making positions and must be rooted out if our way of life is to survive.

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POTATO

Dr. Milton Eisenhower's Presidential commission report on violence will not be submitted until after the Nixon Inauguration. The sensational report is already written, but LBJ does not want to receive it—he wants "Milt" to toss the "hot potato" to Nixon. Like the Kerner-Ginsberg advisory commission on civil disorder, the Ike report accuses "White racists" of responsibility for violence, and condemn police tactical squads in ghettos and denounces the bad system of justice for the "Black disadvantaged."

The Ike commission goes even beyond the Kerner-Ginsberg cabal; it recommends that Cleveland police involved in a shoot-out last summer be indicted for murder. At that time, Black Power terrorists ambushed Cleveland police and in a 15-minute slaughter, killed